

Setting up Grower, Farm, Field

1. Turn display on.
2. Press the WRENCH icon.
3. Press the MANAGEMENT tab.
4. Press the GREEN PLUS sign to add a grower to the list.
5. Enter Business Name.
6. Press the GREEN CHECK when complete.
7. Press the SEASON tab at the top middle of screen.
8. Press the GREEN PLUS icon.
9. Type in Season Name.
10. Press the GREEN CHECK when complete.
11. Press the FIELD tab at top middle of the screen.
12. Press the GREEN PLUS icon.
13. Select or add the farm for the field and press the BLUE ARROW on bottom of screen.
14. Add field names to the list by pressing the GREEN PLUS icon.
15. Type in field name and press the GREEN CHECK.
16. Once all fields for that farm are in press the GREEN CHECK.
17. Repeat procedure for each farm and field combination.
18. Press the X in upper right hand corner to Exit.

Setting up Hydraulic Drive and Clutch Control

NOTE: The Cobalt display is a radar speed input only, manual clutch control display. The switch box is already configured with the master switch being the main on/off switch. Switches 1-4 are your 4 clutch section. (On 3660 TS machine switch 1-2 are used) Switch number 10 is individual control on the hydraulic drive. The master switch, switches 1-4 and switch 10 all have to be on in order for the planter to plant.

1. Press the CONTROL tab.
2. Check boxes for Enable Drives and Enable Clutches in the upper part of the screen.
3. Select the number of sections on the planter (3600, 3660 - 4; 3660 TS - 2; 3800 4 or 8)
4. Place the number of hydraulic drives in the hydraulic drive box (3600, 3660- 1; 3800 – 2).
5. Press controller setting and make sure settings are correct for your meter type (Mechanical or Edge-Vac) referencing your owner's manual for values.
6. Press the GREEN CHECK when complete.
7. Check the DISPLAY RATE SMOOTHING box in lower left corner of the screen.
8. Make sure the speed source is set to radar.
9. Press the CALIBRATE DISTANCE tab to calibrate Radar.
 - a. This must be done through the Cobalt display and independent from the tractor calibration.
10. Press the BLUE ARROW to the right.
11. Enter in the distance you wish to drive to calibrate.
12. Press BLUE ARROW to the right.
13. Follow on-screen instructions.
14. Press GREEN CHECK when complete.
15. Press the X in upper right hand corner to Exit.

Setting up a Product

1. Press the WRENCH icon.
2. Press the PRODUCTS tab in the lower right hand corner.
3. Press the GREEN PLUS icon on the right hand side.
4. Press the ADD PRODUCT.
5. Select the Crop Type by pressing the CROP TYPE bar.
6. Press the BLUE ARROW.
7. Enter Variety Manufacturer's Name by pressing on keyboard.
8. Press the GREEN CHECK when complete.
9. Enter Variety Name by pressing on keyboard.
10. Press GREEN CHECK when complete.
11. Press GREEN CHECK again.
12. Repeat steps to add all crop products.
13. Select the X in the upper right hand side of the screen to exit products list.

Programming the PMM

1. Press the WRENCH icon.
2. Press the MONITOR tab.
3. Press the PLANTER CONFIGURATION tab.
4. Enter number of total rows for front and rear.
5. Enter the smallest row spacing the planter will use.
6. Press the SPEED SENSORS tab in the upper middle of the screen.
7. Uncheck Magnetic Pickup if not applicable.
8. Select AUX for ground speed source.
9. Enter number of shaft rotation sensors.
10. Press the AUXILIARY SENSORS tab in the upper middle of the screen.
11. Enter the number of EdgeVac sensors and any other options on planter (ASD, Scales, etc.).
12. Press the GREEN CHECK.
13. Make sure all sensors, including auxiliary sensors are unplugged.
14. When the pop up window comes up press the GREEN CHECK.
15. Start plugging in sensors left to right, front to back.
16. Plug the Auxiliary sensor in order as listed on screen.
17. Press the GREEN CHECK when complete.
18. Check Enable Planter Monitor in lower left hand side of screen.
19. Press the GREEN CHECK to complete.

Load Farm and Field to Begin Planting Operation

1. Press the large center tab in the upper half of screen and to the left of the wrench icon labeled START FIELD OPERATION.
2. Select the Growing Season and Grower.
3. Press the BLUE ARROW to the right.
4. Select the Farm and Field.
5. Press the BLUE ARROW to the right.
6. Select Crop Type and Product.
7. Press the GREEN CHECK.

Rate Selection and Change

1. After following steps for loading farm and field press the TARGET icon in the lower left hand corner of the display.
2. Enter rates by selecting the TARGET/WRENCH icon in the lower right hand corner of the display.
3. Press the CALCULATOR for Rate 1 and Rate 2 and enter desired rate.
4. Press the CALCULATOR for increment to decide the rate of change.
5. Press the TARGET symbol in lower left hand corner of display.
6. Select the rate you desire by pressing 1 or 2 on the rate screen.
7. Press the TARGET in the lower left.
8. Press the large rectangle tab (with green sprocket) in the lower left hand side of display.
9. Press the CALCULATOR in the sds/rev tab and enter number of cells for your meter application (12 for mechanical corn meter; 60 for brush meter; 39 for EdgeVac corn; 60 for EdgeVac bean).
10. The SEED METER PRIME tab is used for EdgeVac equipped planters to fill the disc once the vacuum is turned on.
11. Press the TARGET icon in lower left had corner of display.

Displaying the Bar Graph

1. In order to see the bar graph steps for loading farm, field must be followed first.
2. Press the BAR GRAPH icon in the lower left hand side of the screen.
3. By pressing the PLANTER AVERAGE tab, you can scan and freeze rows.
4. Press the BAR GRAPH icon to return or bar graph screen.
5. Press the WINDOW in the lower right hand side to cycle through other auxiliary sensors if applicable.

For Cobalt Troubleshooting, reference the Vision Troubleshooting Guide.

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KINZE COBALT™ PLANTER CONTROL SYSTEM DISPLAY

OPERATOR MANUAL

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This manual is applicable to: Kinze Cobalt™ Planter Control System Display
Firmware Version: 1.0

Record the serial numbers of your planter control system display and switch console, and the purchase date:

Display Serial Number _____

Switch Console Serial Number _____

Date Purchased _____

Measured Pulses Per Mile/KM
(Radar Distance Sensor) _____

SERIAL NUMBER

The serial number plates are located on the back side of the display. It is suggested that your serial number and purchase date also be recorded above.

The serial number provides important information about your display and may be required to obtain the correct replacement part. Always provide the model number and serial number to your Kinze® Dealer when ordering parts or anytime correspondence is made with Kinze Manufacturing, Inc.

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Kinze Manufacturing, Inc. thanks you for your patronage. We appreciate your confidence in Kinze farm machinery. Your Kinze planter has been carefully designed to provide dependable operation in return for your investment.

This manual has been prepared to aid you in the operation and maintenance of the planter. It should be considered a permanent part of the machine and remain with the machine when you sell it.

It is the responsibility of the user to read and understand the Operator Manual in regards to safety, operation, lubrication and maintenance before operation of this equipment. It is the user's responsibility to inspect and service the machine routinely as directed in the Operator Manual. We have attempted to cover all areas of safety, operation, lubrication and maintenance; however, there may be times when special care must be taken to fit your conditions.

Throughout this manual the symbol  and the words **DANGER**, **WARNING**, and **CAUTION** are used to call attention to safety information that if not followed, will or could result in death or injury. **NOTICE** and **NOTE** are used to call your attention to important information. The definition of each of these terms follows:



DANGER Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.



WARNING Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.



CAUTION, used with the safety alert symbol, indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury.

NOTICE is used to address practices not related to personal injury.

NOTE: Special point of information or machine adjustment instructions.



WARNING

Improperly operating or working on this equipment could result in death or serious injury. Read and follow all instructions in Operator Manual before operating or working on this equipment.



WARNING

Some photos in this manual may show safety covers, shields, or lockup devices removed for visual clarity. **NEVER OPERATE OR WORK ON** machine without all safety covers, shields, and lockup devices in place as required.

NOTE: Photos in this manual may be of prototype machines. Production machines may vary in appearance.

NOTE: Some photos and illustrations in this manual show optional attachments installed. Contact your Kinze Dealer for purchase of optional attachments.

The Kinze Limited Warranty for your new machine is stated on the retail purchaser's copy of the Warranty And Delivery Receipt form. Additional copies of the Limited Warranty can be obtained through your Kinze Dealer.

Warranty, within the warranty period, is provided as part of Kinze's support program for registered Kinze products which have been operated and maintained as described in this manual. Evidence of equipment abuse or modification beyond original factory specifications will void the warranty. Normal maintenance, service and repair is not covered by Kinze warranty.

To register your Kinze product for warranty, a Warranty And Delivery Receipt form must be completed by the Kinze Dealer and signed by the retail purchaser, with copies to the Dealer, and to the retail purchaser. Registration must be completed and submitted to Kinze Manufacturing, Inc. within 5 business days of delivery of the Kinze product to the retail purchaser. Kinze Manufacturing, Inc. reserves the right to refuse warranty on serial numbered products which have not been properly registered.

If service or replacement of failed parts which are covered by the Limited Warranty are required, it is the user's responsibility to deliver the machine along with the retail purchaser's copy of the Warranty And Delivery Receipt to the Kinze Dealer for service. Kinze warranty does not include cost of travel time, mileage, hauling or labor. Any prior arrangement made between the Dealer and the retail purchaser in which the Dealer agrees to absorb all or part of this expense should be considered a courtesy to the retail purchaser.

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The Cobalt planter control system display consists of a console, which is mounted on the tractor; seed tubes with computerized sensors, one of which is installed in each planter row unit; a PMM (Planter Monitor Module); a primary harness, which connects the console to the planter harness; and a planter harness (junction Y-harness and/or harness extension where applicable), to which the individual seed tube sensors connect.

NOTE: PMM (Planter Monitor Module) with sensors and harness are sold separately from the Cobalt display package.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The information used in this manual was current at the time of printing. However, due to Kinze's ongoing product improvement, production changes may cause your planter control system display to appear or operate slightly different in detail. Kinze Manufacturing, Inc. reserves the right to change specifications or design without notice and without incurring obligation to install the same on machines previously manufactured.

Right hand (R.H.) and left hand (L.H.), as used throughout this manual, are determined by facing in the direction the machine will travel when in use, unless otherwise stated.

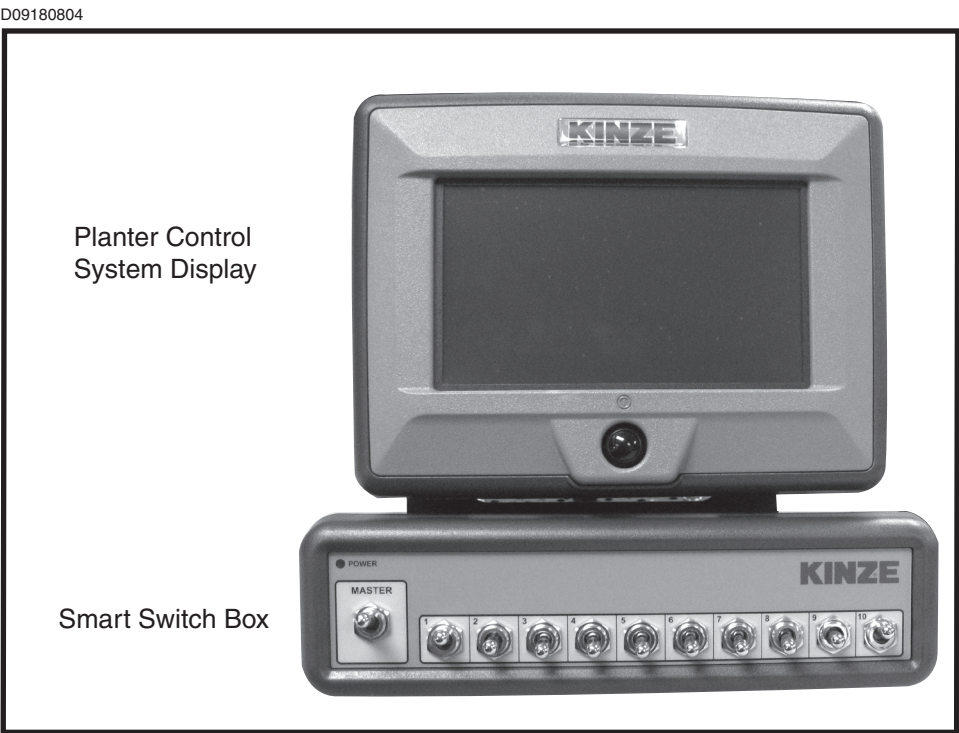
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KINZE COBALT PLANTER CONTROL SYSTEM DISPLAY

Absolute Voltage Range	0 to 60v
Audio	Integral Speaker With Volume Control
Card Slot	(1) Type 1 Compact Flash Slot
Connector	(1) 28-Pin AMP
Display Features	Sunlight Readable; Backlight Intensity Control
Display Size	6.5" Diagonal Color LCD
Enclosure	High Impact Polycarbonate - Chemical And UV Resistant
Environmental Operating Temperature	14° to 149°F
Full Function Voltage Range	8 to 18v
Input/Output	CAN, Serial Port (RS232)
Maximum Current Draw	2A
Mount Dimensions	1½" Diameter Balls And 5" Arm Length
Mounting System	Ram® Mount
Operating Voltage Range	6 to 19v
Power Loss Protection for Shutdown	Yes
Power Override Button	Yes
Reverse Voltage Protection	Yes
Storage Temperature	-22° to 158°F
Touch Screen Area	6.5" Diagonal; Chemical Resistant



SMART SWITCH BOX

Enclosure	High Impact Polycarbonate/ABS - Chemical And UV Resistant
Outside Dimensions	10.4" x 2.9" x 2.1"
Weight	1.8 lbs.

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Kinze Cobalt System

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CAN-Bus Technology

The Cobalt system uses Controller Area Network (CAN) technology. CAN systems are comprised of individual modules, each with their own high speed processor, connected through a high-speed communications cable. CAN has many benefits, including greater ability to configure and expand the system, compatibility, simpler installs with less wiring and increased system dependability.

Physical Description

The Cobalt monitor has been built to withstand the harsh environment associated with today's agricultural industry. The weathertight enclosure is designed to seal out any dirt and moisture that is encountered during normal operating conditions.

NOTE: The card door slot must be fully closed for the Cobalt monitor to remain weathertight.

System Features:

- 6.5" color touch screen
- Sunlight-readable screen
- Internal memory
- Rugged, sealed enclosure
- Direct access keys allow one-touch access to home, setup, and summary/report screens
- Adjustable volume control
- Integrated seed monitor functions, no need for other KPM monitors

- Color bargraph displays up to 36 rows simultaneously
- Control seed rate and single row air clutches manually

NOTE: The Cobalt is non-GPS compatible.

Data Card Usage

The Cobalt uses a compact flash card for transferring data in and out of the display. The system is compatible with all current card sizes; 64 MB is the minimum recommended size for use with the system.

Color Touch Screen

The Cobalt display features a 6.5" color touch screen. The touch screen allows quick navigation through the screens on the display without the need for any external keypad or mouse devices.

Here are a few key things to remember if you are new to using a touch screen device:

- Do not use any sharp objects for running the touch screen device, this could result in damage to the display. Using the tip of a finger is the recommended method of operating the Cobalt display touch screen.
- Do not use any harsh chemicals to clean the touch screen. Using a damp soft cloth or an anti-static wipe made specifically for cleaning computer displays is the correct way to clean the screen and the Cobalt enclosure.
- The touch screen requires only a gentle touch of about half-second in duration to operate correctly. **A common mistake new users make is to try to navigate too quickly through the system by using firm taps on the monitor screen. Instead, use gentle presses on this screen.**

KINZE COBALT SYSTEM POWER UP

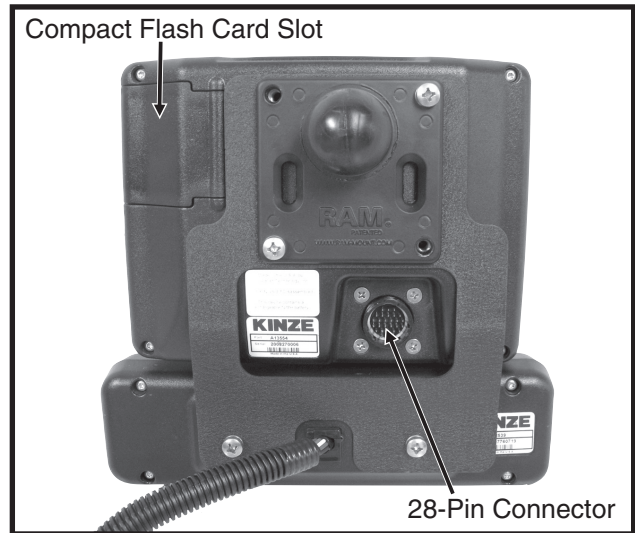
The Kinze Cobalt™ display comes with an AC power supply to enable familiarization and configuration away from the tractor. Prior to installing any Kinze Cobalt system hardware, use this guide and step through the initial configuration process.

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Front View - Kinze Cobalt Display

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Rear View - Kinze Cobalt Display

Compact Flash Card Slot

The compact flash card slot has a sensor that allows the display to know when the door is open or closed. If the door is opened when a card is in the display, an on-screen warning will appear indicating when the card can safely be removed. The Kinze Cobalt display comes with a compact flash card. The compact flash card will be required to transfer files for the Kinze Cobalt to a desktop computer.

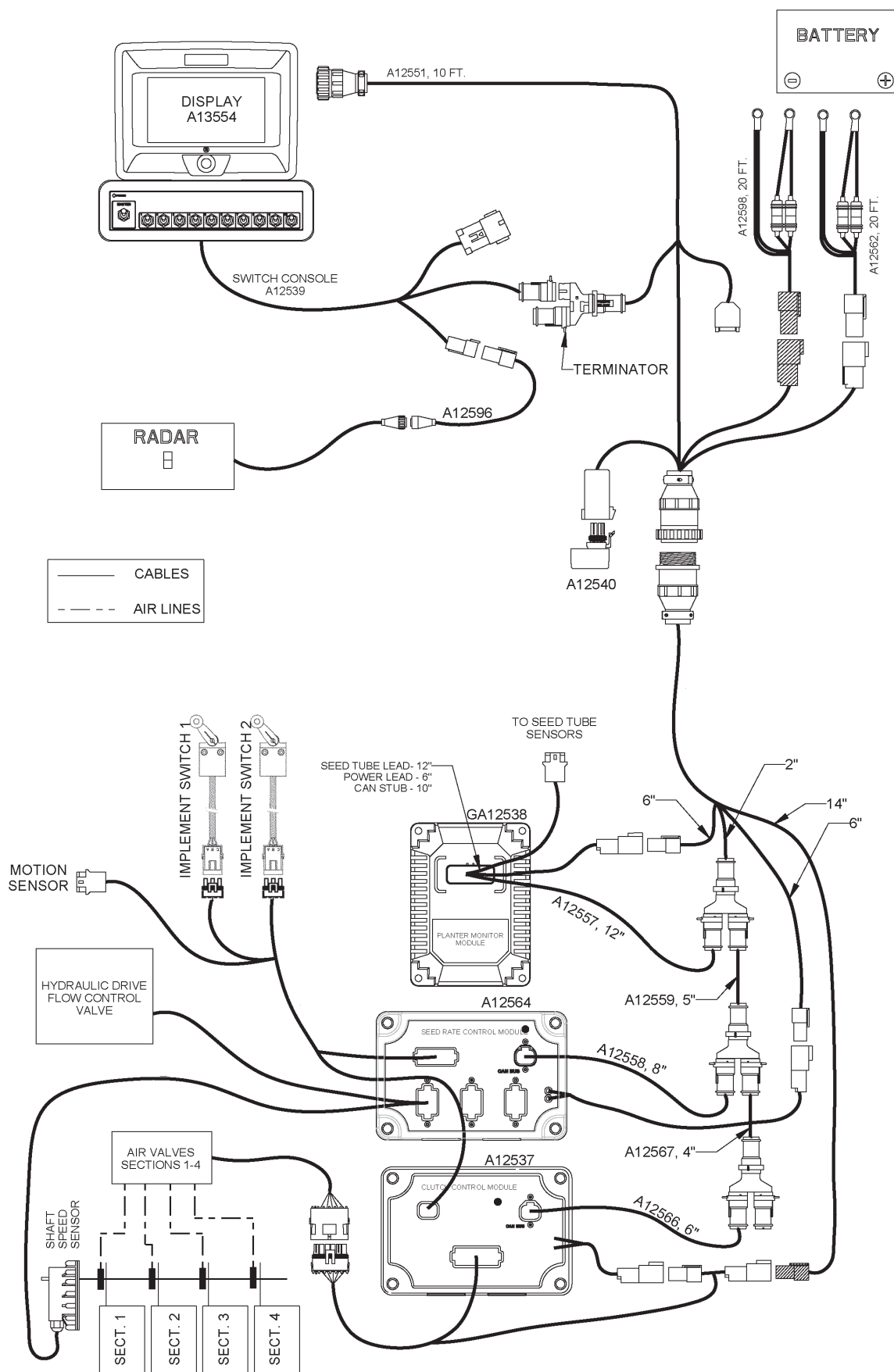
28-Pin Connector

The 28-Pin round pin connector contains CAN, RS-232 serial, and system power and ground connections.

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KINZE PLANTER CONTROL SYSTEM WIRING DIAGRAM

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KINZE COBALT PLANTER CONTROL SYSTEM INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

All machine installation and mounting kits are shipped with instructions specific to that kit. Instructions include special details relating to mounting, wiring and display configuration.

Mounting The Kinze Cobalt™ Display

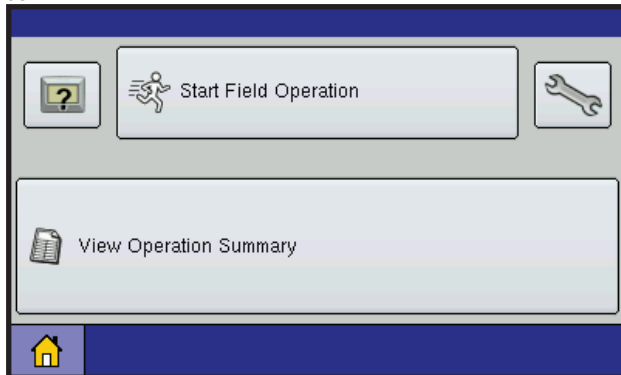
Mount the display to a secure support inside the vehicle cab. The following must be considered when choosing a mounting location.

- Display must be readily accessible to the machine operator.
- Display must not obstruct the machine operator's normal driving view.
- Display must not interfere with or limit access to any of the existing machine controls.
- Route and secure the Kinze Cobalt system cabling without interfering with other machine controls.

NOTICE: If drilling holes is required during the mounting process, care must be taken to ensure that damage is not done to existing vehicle wiring, mechanicals, or cab structure. Refer to vehicle manufacturer documentation for specific details on your equipment. Follow all OEM instructions, cautions, and warnings when working around equipment.

HOME SCREEN

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Home Screen Before Setup

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Home screen button is the default screen. You can return to this screen from other locations by pressing the Home icon it consists of four buttons, described from left to right.

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Diagnostic button opens windows that display Device Information, Memory, Display, Clutch Diagnostics and Auxiliary Input Diagnostics. For more information, see the Diagnostics section.

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Start field operation button opens the Field Operation Wizard, where you can enter information relating to your Growing Season, Farm, Field, Crop Type and Product. For more information, see the Start Field Operation section.

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Setup button opens the Setup window, which is described briefly in the Setup section at the end of this chapter.

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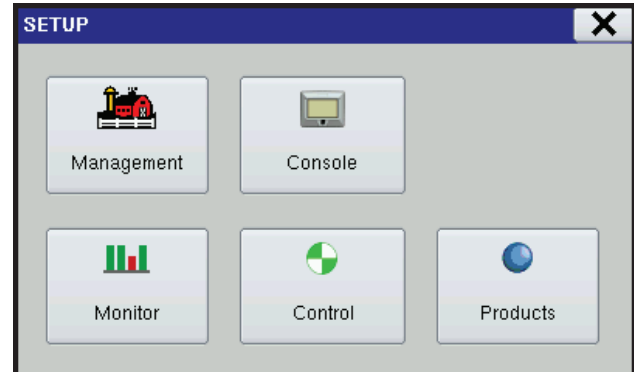
View operation summary button opens the Select Summary window, where you can select different configuration settings for Seasons, Grower, Farm, Field and Product.

NOTE: The summary button at the bottom of the Select Summary window allows you to view each region's Variety, Average Rate, Total seeds planted, Area and the date that region was created.

NOTE: To exit a screen that does not show the Home icon press the "X" in the top right corner of the screen to return to the Home Screen.

SETUP SCREEN

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Setup Window

The Setup window displays five buttons: **Management**, **Console**, **Monitor**, **Control** and **Products**. Each of these are described in their own section of this User Manual.

NOTE: Press the Close (X) button to exit or cancel wizard and return to the field setup screen.

GENERAL SETUP OVERVIEW

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The start of Field Operations begins at the Home screen. First press the Start Field Operation button.

The Field Operation Wizard appears, as shown below.

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Field Operation Wizard

Growing Season
2008 [dropdown] [Add]

Grower
John Jones [dropdown] [Add]

[Previous] [Next] [Cancel]

Field Operation Wizard

Follow the steps in the Wizard to create an operating configuration.

1. First, enter a **Growing Season** and **Grower** either by using the drop down arrows to select existing ones, or by pressing on the **Add** (plus sign) button to create new ones. Press the arrow key at the bottom of the window to proceed to the next step.
2. At the next window, add **Farm** and **Field** information either by using the drop down arrows to select existing ones, or by pressing on the **Add** (plus sign) button to create new ones. Press the arrow key at the bottom of the window to proceed to the next step.

3. Last, enter in a **Crop Type** and **Product** by using the drop down arrows to select existing ones, or by pressing on the **Add** (plus sign) button to create new ones. When finished, press the checkmark box to return to the **Home** screen.

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0.9 ac 4.0 mph

Grower: John Jones
Farm: Jones Farm
Field: East 80

Dk5831	30900 sds/ac	28700 sds	0.9 ac
All Varieties	30800 sds/ac	28700 sds	0.9 ac

[Home] [Bar Chart] [Pie Chart] [Wrench]

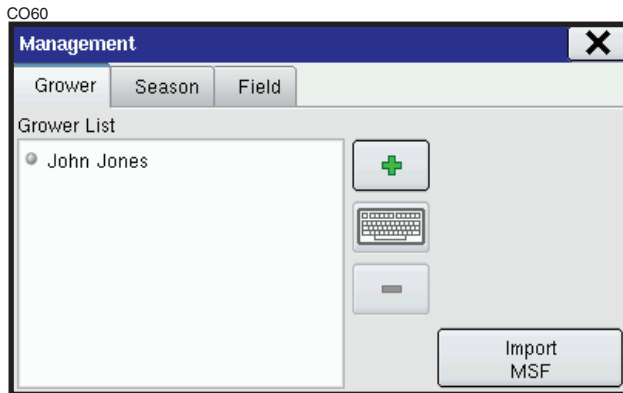
Home screen after configuration

4. When you return to the **Home Screen**, the **Grower**, **Farm** and **Field** information now appears in the **Start Field Operation** box.

MANAGEMENT DATA SETUP



Pressing the **Management** button on the Setup window brings up the Management window, which includes the **Grower**, **Season** and **Field** tabs.



GROWER SETUP SCREEN

The **Grower** Tab is used to set up the businesses or people that own one or more farms.

- Press the **Add** (plus sign) button to add a grower.
- Press the **Delete** (minus sign) button to delete a grower.
- You may edit an existing name of a Grower by highlighting that name and pressing the on-screen keyboard.
- Press the **Import .MSF** button to import a management setup file for grower, farm and field information exported from desktop software and stored on your compact flash card.

SEASON SETUP SCREEN

The **Season** Tab is used to set up the crop season. The season is defined as the calendar year that the crop, relating to the current field operation, will be harvested.

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The seasons are displayed in lists, with the active season displayed in bold face type. All new data is logged to the active season; therefore a season must be set as active before you can log any new data to it.

- Press the **Add** (plus sign) button to add a season.
- Press the **Delete** (minus sign) button to delete a season.
- You may edit an existing name of a season by highlighting that name and pressing the on-screen keyboard.
- Press the **Set Active** button to set the season selected in the summary list box to the active season.
- Press the **Season Reminder** button to set the date that the system will prompt the user to create a new season.

NOTE: To expand a list press the “+” or “-” sign to the left of the list.

FIELD SETUP SCREEN

The **Field** tab is used to set up fields and all descriptive information relating to them.

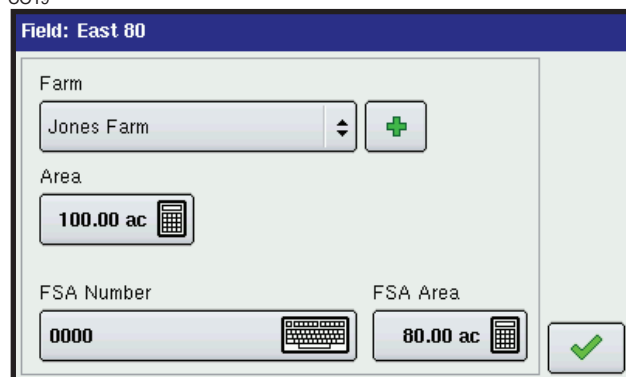
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Each farm is shown in a list, with the fields within that farm as subcomponents within that list.

- Press the **Add** (plus sign) button to add a farm/field.
- Press the **Delete** (minus sign) button to delete a farm/field.
- You may edit an existing name of a farm/field by highlighting that name and pressing the on-screen keyboard.
- Select the field and press the **Information** button to display the **Field Information** window. This window displays the **Farm**, **Area**, **FSA Number** (the U.S. Farm Service Agency's four-digit number) and **FSA Area** (tillable acres). Press the check box to return to the **field** tab.

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Field Information window

To add a farm/field press the **Add** (plus sign) button on the field setup screen and the field setup wizard appears.

1. The first screen allows you to select a farm or add a new farm. Press the blue arrow to continue to the next step.
2. At the next window, press the **Add** (plus sign) button to add to the field list
3. Press the check box to return to the field tab.

NOTE: Press the Close (X) button to exit or cancel wizard and return to the field setup screen.

NOTE: To expand a list press the "+" or "-" sign to the left of the list.

ADD A PRODUCT

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Pressing the **Products** button in the **Setup** window brings up the **Products** window, where you can add new products or edit existing products for planting and seeding.

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Products Window

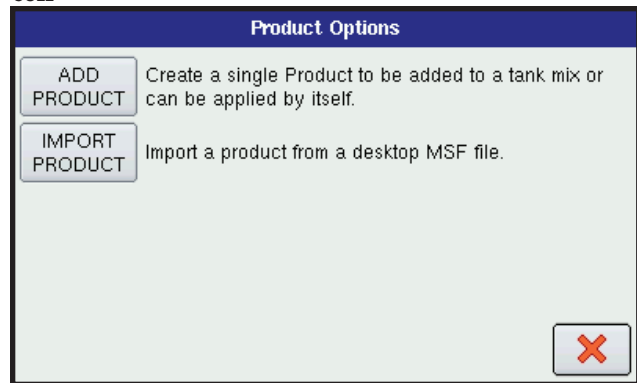
Use the Select Type drop down box to select the crop type of your desired Product.

- The Add (plus sign) button opens the Product Options window, where you can Add a Product or Import a Product. More information is provided later in this section.
- The on-screen keyboard button allows you to edit the Product Name.
- The Wrench button opens the Product Settings window, where you can edit the Manufacturer name.
- The Delete (minus sign) button allows you to remove a product.

NOTE: The product name must be highlighted to edit or delete.

To add a product, press the Add (plus sign) button. The Product Options window appears.

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Product Options window

1. Press the **Add Product** button. The Variety Setup Wizard appears, where you can add a Variety.
2. Use the drop down arrows to select a Crop Type, and then press the blue arrow key at the bottom of the window to proceed to the next step.
3. Use the on-screen keyboards to enter in a Variety Manufacturer (optional) and a Variety Name. When finished, press the checkmark box to return to the Product window.

IMPORT A PRODUCT

To import a product from desktop software, you must import an .msf file. Press the **Import Product** button on the Product Options window, and the Product Import Wizard appears.

NOTE: In order for you to import products from an .msf file, you must have first imported Grower, Farm and Field information from an .msf file at the Grower Tab on the Management window.

1. At the Product Import Wizard, use the drop down menus to select a Product and Product Type. Press the blue arrow key to continue to the next step.
2. At the next window, use the on-screen keyboards to enter a Manufacturer and a Common Name. Press the blue arrow key to continue to the next step.
3. At the last window, use the on-screen keyboard to edit a Product Name. Press the checkmark box to finish and return to the Products window.

CONSOLE

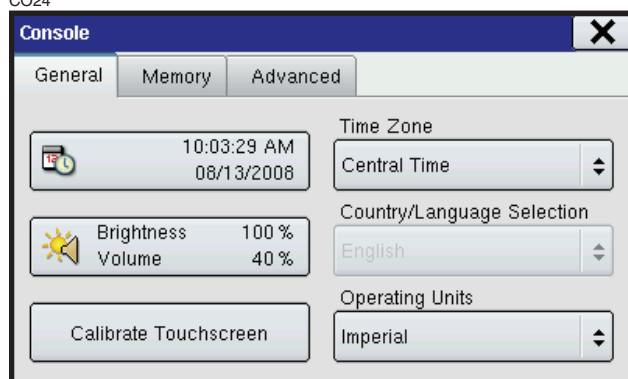
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Press the Console button on the Setup window to access the Console window. The Console window contains settings related to Time, Date, console screen settings, operating units and external card information. It consists of three tabs: the General Tab, the Memory Tab and the Advanced Tab.

GENERAL TAB

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Console - General Tab

The General Tab consists of the following items:

- **Time and Date settings.** To change these, press on this button and use the up and down arrow keys to adjust the hours, minutes, A.M./P.M. settings, month, date and year. To make these changes effective, press the checkmark/Shutdown button.

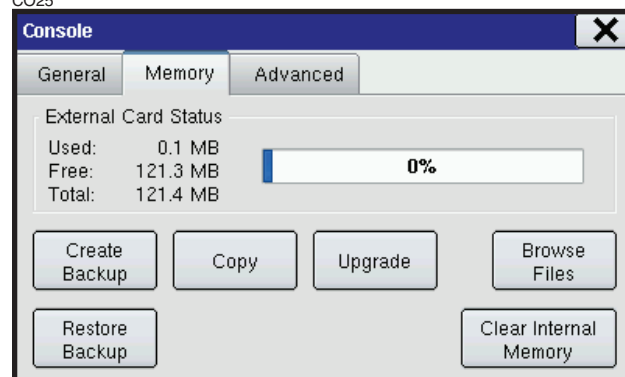
NOTE: The Cobalt monitor will then shut down immediately. If you do not want to shut the monitor down, press the Close (Red X) button.

- **Brightness and volume percentages.** To change these, press the Brightness/Volume button and use the up and down arrow buttons to change the percentage of the Display Brightness and Speaker Volume.
- **Calibrate Touchscreen.** Press this to launch the Touch Screen Calibration wizard. Calibrate the touch screen by following the on-screen instructions.
- **Time Zone.** Use the drop down menu to select your time zone.
- **Country/Language Selection.** The only option offered at this time is the English language.
- **Operating Units.** Select either Imperial or Metric.

MEMORY TAB

The Memory Tab displays the used and free space available on the external data card, as well as the percentage of memory used on that card. The Memory Tab also includes the following items:

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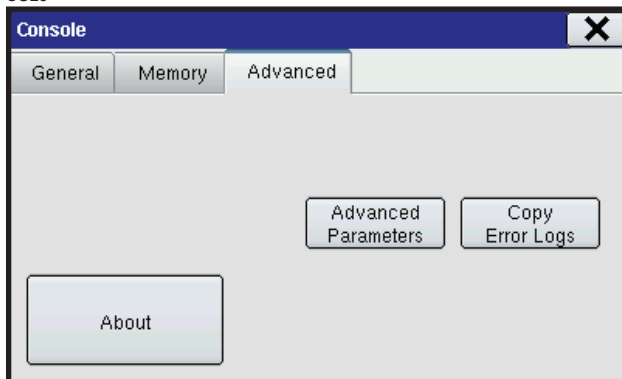
Console - Memory Tab

- **Create Backup.** Press to create a backup file of all configuration settings, products, and Grower-Field Management data structure on the external memory card. Backup files are stored using the .ibk file format.
- **Restore Backup.** Press to restore a backup file from the external data card to the internal memory of the Cobalt monitor.
- **Copy.** Press to copy all logged data to the external memory card. Log files are stored using the .ilf file format.
- **Upgrade.** Press to load program upgrade files from the external storage card.
- **Browse Files.** Press to view all files on the external memory card.
- **Clear Internal Memory.** Press this button to clear the internal memory of the monitor. The system will present a warning dialog box and ask if you would like to create a backup file prior to clearing the memory.

NOTE: The Cobalt monitor will be returned to a “new out-of-box” unconfigured state when the memory is cleared.

ADVANCED TAB

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Console - Advanced Tab

NOTE: All functionality on the Advanced tab is reserved for use by Kinze. Do not change any setting on this page without specific instruction from Kinze.

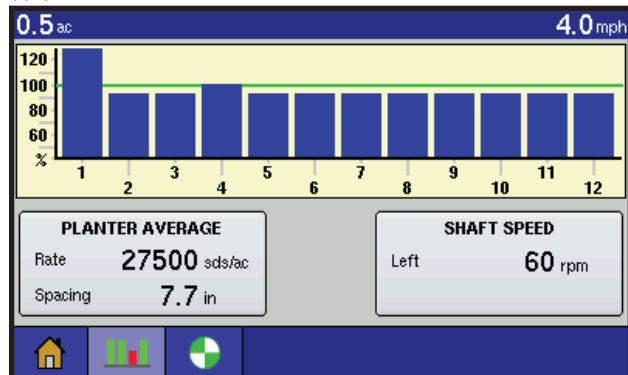
PLANTER BARGRAPH

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Return to the home screen and press the Bargraph icon to open the Population Monitor Bargraph. This bargraph consists of a number of bars representing row units. Each bar's row height represents that row's population in comparison with the planter average.

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Planter Bargraph

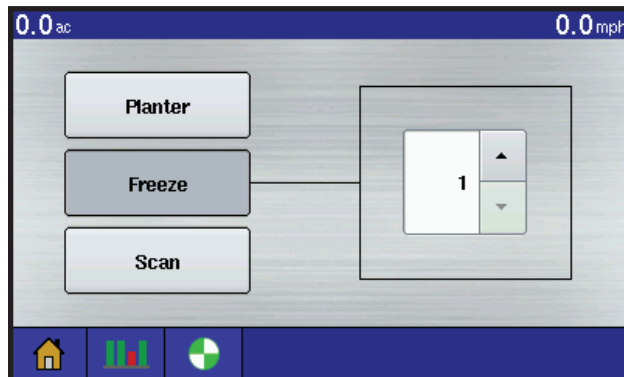
POPULATION BOX

In the Population box, the Rate Display and Spacing Display are where Instantaneous Average Rate and Spacing are displayed either for the entire planter, or for each row, depending upon the Planter Average Settings.

PLANTER AVERAGE SETTINGS

Press the Planter Average box, and a window appears with three buttons: **Planter**, **Freeze** and **Scan**.

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- **Planter.** Planter Mode is the default setting for the Rate/Spacing Display. This mode specifies the instantaneous average population and seed spacing for the entire planter.
- **Freeze.** Freeze Mode specifies that the Rate/Spacing Display continuously shows only one specified row chosen by the operator.
- **Scan.** Scan Mode specifies the Rate/Spacing on a row-by-row scan on all the planter's row units, displayed in sequence from left to right.

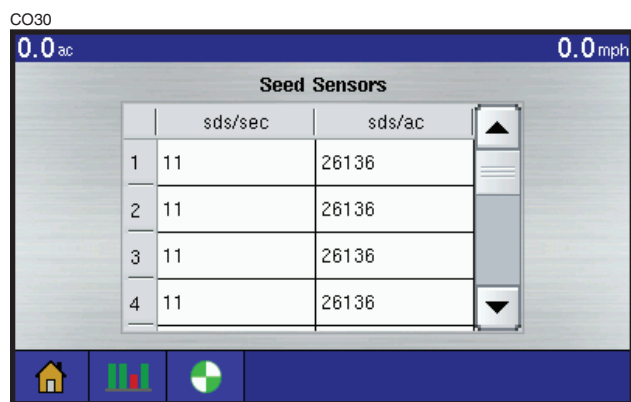
AUXILIARY SENSOR BOX

The Shaft Speed box on the lower-right hand side of the screen displays a number of display items, listed in order of appearance. You can show the following display items by touching this box.

- The **Shaft Speed** displays the speed of the planter drive shafts, in RPM.
- **Edge Vac.** The EdgeVac® level is a measurement of seed meter vacuum. This measurement, shown in inches of water, is displayed for each vacuum fan.
- **Down Pressure.** The Pneumatic Down Pressure is a measurement of down force, shown in pounds (kilograms), that the air bag places on the row unit.
- **Tank Weight.** The weight of seed in each tank.
- **Tank Pressure.** The air pressure level for the Air Seed Delivery (ASD) system.

SEED SENSORS

You can review the seeds per second (sds/sec) and seeds per acre (sds/ac) measurement of each row unit by pressing on the bargraph of any individual row. The Seed Sensors window appears, as shown below. Scroll down this window with the scroll bar on the right to review these numbers for all row units.



Seed Sensor Window

ALARMS

If a row unit drops below a user-defined threshold, the bar turns red, an audible alarm sounds and an error message appears on the window.

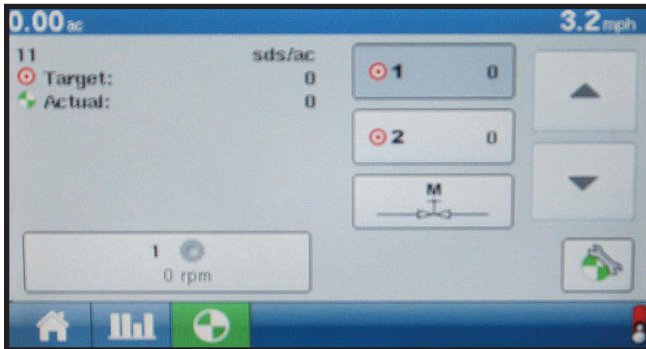
PLANTER MONITOR ALARMS AT STARTUP		
Startup Error Message	Possible Cause	Solution
"Sensors Calibrating wait for calibration"	PMM Startup	Wait for Planter Monitor Module (PMM) to finish before beginning operation.
"(Row #) sensor not detected"	Population sensor did not begin communicating with the PMM	Acknowledge the error by pressing OK. Check the LED on the sensor to see if it is working properly. If it has failed, then replace the sensor. Refer to the Kinze Planter Operator's manual for further instructions.
"Clean or replace sensor (Row #) as necessary"	Population sensor dirty	Press OK to dismiss the error. Then clean the sensor and restart the system.
"(Row #) mux bus data line short to mux bus ground"	Population sensor's mux bus signal wire is shorted to ground	Press OK to dismiss the error. The display then replaces the message window with an alarm text on the header bar at the top of the Run screen. This alarm text continues until the wire is fixed or the sensor is disabled. Inspect the wire at the first opportunity.
"(Row #) mux bus data line short to mux bus power"	Population sensor's mux bus signal wire is shorted to power wire.	Press OK to dismiss the error. The display then replaces the message window with an alarm text on the header bar at the top of the Run screen. This alarm text continues until the wire is fixed or the sensor is disabled. Inspect the wire at the first opportunity.

PLANTER MONITOR ALARMS DURING OPERATION		
Error Message During Operation	Possible Cause	Solution
"(Row #) mux bus data line short to mux bus ground"	Population sensor's mux bus signal wire is shorted to ground.	Press OK to dismiss the error. The display then replaces the message window with an alarm text on the header bar at the top of the Run screen. This alarm text continues until the wire is fixed or the sensor is disabled. Inspect the wire at the first opportunity.
"(Row #) mux bus data line short to mux bus power"	Population sensor's mux bus signal wire is shorted to power wire.	Press OK to dismiss the error. The display then replaces the message window with an alarm text on the header bar at the top of the Run screen. This alarm text continues until the wire is fixed or the sensor is disabled. Inspect the wire at the first opportunity.
"(Row #) communication lost"	Seed tube sensor stops communicating with the PMM.	Press OK to dismiss the error. The display then replaces the message window with an alarm text on the header bar at the top of the Run screen. This alarm text continues until the wire is fixed or the sensor is disabled. Inspect the wire at the first opportunity.
"(Inner or Outer; Right or Left) Shaft Communication Lost"	Transmission sensor stops communicating with the PMM.	Press OK to dismiss the error. The display then replaces the message window with an alarm text on the header bar at the top of the Run screen. This alarm text continues until the wire is fixed or the sensor is disabled. Inspect the wire at the first opportunity.
"(Left or Right) Edge-Vac sensor communication lost"	Edge-Vac sensor stops communication with the PMM.	Press OK to dismiss the error. The display then replaces the message window with an alarm text on the header bar at the top of the Run screen. This alarm text continues until the wire is fixed or the sensor is disabled. Inspect the wire at the first opportunity.
"Voltage Error Alarm"	Occurs if the battery voltage drops below 10 volts, or rises above 15 volts.	Check tractor's electrical system.
"(Row #) Seed Rate Alarm"	The seed rate of one or more rows is less than the alarm threshold setting and the corresponding transmission shaft sensor detects rotation.	Press OK to dismiss the error. If the alarm state is still present, the graph will state the rows where the errors are occurring, and the Title Bar will flash the type of alarm. Inspect row units to confirm that each has seed, and that all mechanical drive shaft parts are working properly. NOTE: If desired, the alarm threshold for the row unit may be set to 0%, which will silence the seed rate alarm. However, the bargraph will continue to operate and the row will still be calculated in the planter average population. For instructions on changing the alarm threshold, see the Alarms description in the Monitor section of this User Manual.
"Low Down Force Air Pressure"	Low pressure in the pneumatic down pressure system.	Press OK to dismiss the error. Check for air leaks and compressor failure.

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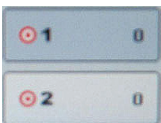


Pressing the Target Rate icon opens the Target Rate window, as shown below.



Target Rate window

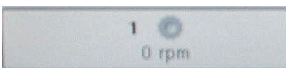
The Target Rate window includes the following items:



Rate 1 and 2. The Rate 1 and Rate 2 settings represent preset planting rates that allow operators to quickly change between desired target rates for each individual product. Pressing these buttons will change the Target Rate setting in the upper left hand side of the window.



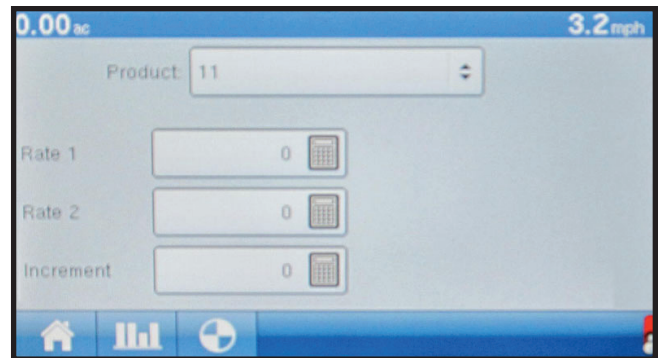
Manual Valve Control. The Manual Valve Control button allows operators to specify the position of the control valve.



Seed Meter. The Seed Meter button displays the number of hydraulic drive motors controlled by the Cobalt monitor. Additionally, it displays the speed of the Seed Meter, in RPM. Pressing the Seed Meter button opens the Meter Calibration window, where you can perform a Seed Meter Prime and a Seed Meter Calibration. The Meter Calibration window is described below.



Rate Control. The Rate Control button opens the Rate Control window, where you can adjust the Rate 1 and 2 settings. Additionally, you can adjust the Rate Increment setting, which determines the amount that the target rate setting changes when the up and down arrow key is pressed on the Target Rate window.

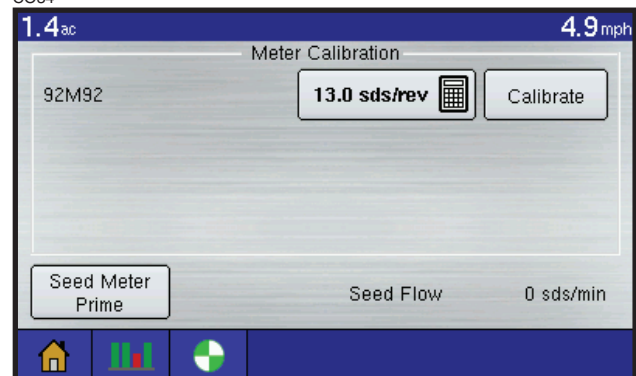


Rate Control window

SEED METER PRIME

The Seed Meter Prime is used to charge the seed meter when filling with seed, or after turning on the vacuum for Edgevac® planters. To begin, press the Seed Meter button in the Target Rate window. The Meter Calibration window appears, as shown below.

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Meter Calibration window

1. Press the **Seed Meter Prime** button.
2. A window appears, stating "Seed Meter Prime in Progress." At the same time, the Seed Meter turns one revolution.

SEED METER CALIBRATION

The Meter Calibration number allows the seed meter to communicate the correct seed population to the Cobalt monitor. Assuming the Controller Settings are correct for the seed rate, this Meter Calibration number, which is based on the number of cells on the seed meter, should not need to be adjusted. However, you may wish to recalibrate before changing seed types and treatments. You should also recalibrate if the as-applied seed rate does not match the population shown on the planter monitor.

- The seed rate meter calibration does not recalibrate any previously-logged planting data.
 - This calibration number applies to a specific crop type, i.e., corn. Normally, you should not need to recalibrate when switching varieties within the same crop type.
 - Before beginning a calibration, make sure that you have primed the seed meter.
1. To begin, press the **Calibrate** button on the Meter Calibration window.
 2. The Meter Calibration Wizard opens. At the same time, a warning appears, stating the following: "Maintain a safe distance from the planter during the calibration routine. The planter should be lowered near the ground with the seed meter fully charged with seed and all necessary fans and/or auxiliary metering devices on." Acknowledge this warning by pressing the checkmark box.
 3. Use the drop down menu to select the drive to calibrate, then press the arrow box at the bottom right hand side of the window to continue.
 4. Use the numeric keypad to enter the simulated ground speed. Press the arrow box to continue.
 5. Use the numeric keypad to enter the Simulated Target Rate, in seeds per acre. Press the arrow box to continue.
 6. Press the green-colored **Start** button to begin dispensing seed.
 7. The seed meter turns for five revolutions. As the seed meter dispenses seed, the button will change its color to red, and a message informs you that the seed dispensation is in process.

8. When the meter is finished dispensing seed, the button will change back to its original green color, and will once again display the word **Start**. Press the arrow box to continue.
9. Use the numeric keypad to enter the number of dispensed seeds that you counted. Press the arrow box to continue.
10. The calibration is complete. The meter calibration number appears, shown in seeds per revolution. From this point, you can either:
 - Repeat the calibration, or
 - Press **Finish** to complete the calibration.
11. As an optional step, you can apply the seed meter calibration number to all of the planter drives. Press either **Yes** or **No** and the calibration is now complete.

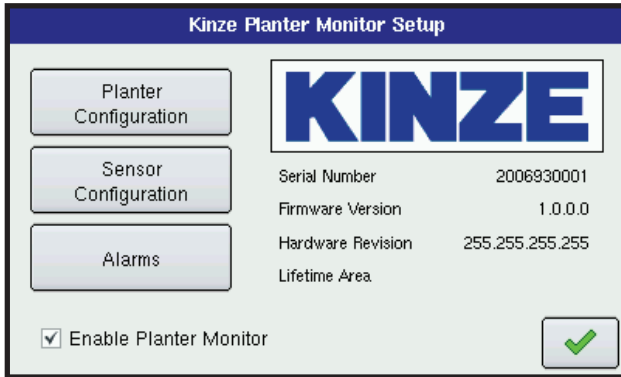
NOTICE: When the planter is equipped with EdgeVac seed meters, and the number of seeds collected does not match the seeds/rev display, check the singulators and vacuum settings and then recalibrate.

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Pressing the Monitor button opens the Kinze Planter Monitor Setup window, as shown below. This window is where you can adjust configuration settings for the Planter, Sensor and Alarms.

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Kinze Planter Monitor Setup

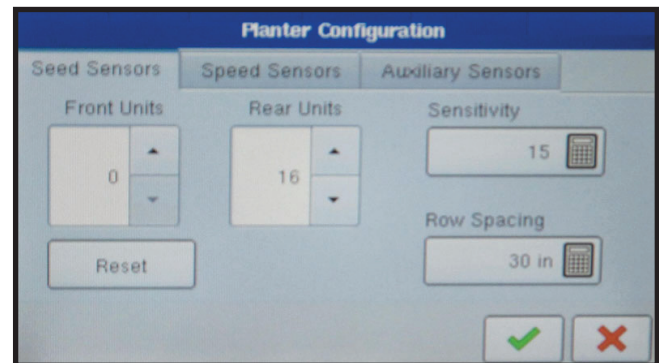
- The **Planter Configuration** button opens the Planter Configuration window.
- The **Sensor Configuration** button shows the Sensor Configuration window.
- The **Alarms** button pulls up the Seed Monitor Alarms window, where the operator can set a threshold for the alarm at 10%, 50%, or 70% or a user-specified percentage; or disable the alarm entirely.

PLANTER CONFIGURATION

The Planter Configuration window includes three tabs, the **Seed Sensors** tab, the **Speed Sensors** tab, and the **Auxiliary Sensors** tab.

SEED SENSORS TAB

The Seed Sensors tab is where you can set the number of front and rear units, and minimum row spacing.

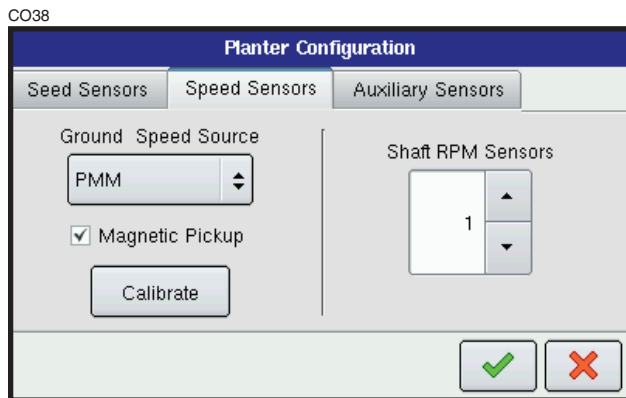


Planter Configuration - Seed Sensors tab

- **Front Units** and **Rear Units** - Use the up and down arrow keys to adjust the number of front and rear planting units, if necessary.
- The **Sensitivity (Seed Size)** ensures dust and other debris are filtered out and only actual seeds are counted. Sensitivity threshold is set to a default for a selected crop which is adequate for most conditions.
- The **Row Spacing** window shows the minimum row spacing of the planter. Use the numeric keypad to adjust the Row Spacing.
- Press the check mark button to save information and return to the Kinze Planter Monitor Setup screen. Press the Close (red X) button to exit and cancel.
- The **Reset** clears seed tube memory and allows you to re-learn all seed sensors.

SPEED SENSORS

The **Speed Sensors** tab is where you can set your Ground Speed Source for the PMM, Calibrate Magnetic Pickup, and set the number of Shaft Speed Sensors.



Planter Configuration - Speed Sensors tab

- **Ground Speed Source** - The Ground Speed Source drop down box selects the type of speed source for the planter monitor. Select either Aux (Radar) or Planter Monitor Module (PMM)

NOTE: This speed selection only affects the PMM. The Cobalt monitor's ground speed source must still be selected under the Rate Control screen.

- **Magnetic Pickup** - Check the **Magnetic Pickup** check box only if the planter is equipped with the Magnetic Pickup Sensor. This setting should then be left unchanged. For information on calibrating the Magnetic Coil Speed Sensor, see the end of this chapter.

NOTE: Customers who do not have the magnetic pickup sensor who check this box will see a window stating "Bad Configuration: No Magnetic Pickup sensor currently found."

- **Shaft RPM Sensors** - Use the up and down arrows to adjust the number of Shaft RPM Sensors, if necessary.
- Press the check mark button to save information and return to the Kinze Planter Monitor Setup screen. Press the Close (red X) button to exit and cancel.

MAGNETIC COIL SPEED SENSOR CALIBRATION

Kinze Cobalt customers who have a magnetic coil speed sensor must check the Magnetic Pickup check box on the Planter Configuration window when the first enter a configuration. This setting should then be left unchanged.

These customers will need to calibrate the Magnetic Coil Speed Sensor at least once per season. To do this, press the Monitor button and go to the Kinze Planter Monitor Setup. Press **Planter Configuration**, and go to the **Speed Sensors** tab. Check the **Magnetic Pickup** check box (if unchecked) and then press the **Calibrate** button. The Magnetic Coil Speed Sensor Calibration wizard appears. Complete the configuration procedure by following the steps outlined on this wizard.

1. Enter distance of calibration

The default distance for calibrating the magnetic coil speed sensor is 100 feet (50 meters). If you wish to calibrate at another distance, enter the new distance. Press the arrow box to continue.

2. Drive from start to end points

Position the vehicle at the start marker. Press the green-colored **Start** button and drive the vehicle for the predetermined distance.

NOTE: The Cobalt display must be set on 0.0 before you begin driving the calibration distance.

3. Stop at end of calibration distance

When the vehicle crosses the end marker of the predetermined distance, press the red-colored **Stop** button. Press the arrow box to continue.

4. Calibration complete

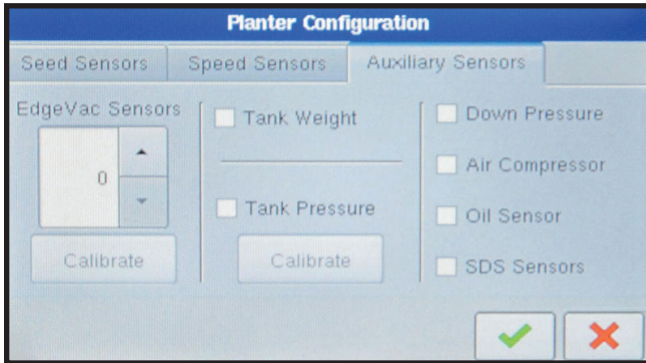
The speed sensor calibration number has been calculated from the actual distance driven. Press the checkmark box to complete calibration and store the calculated value.

NOTES:

- Calibration settings can be manually adjusted if desired by pressing **Enter CAL Number** and making small changes to the setting.
- To verify the calibration, repeat the previous steps.

AUXILIARY SENSORS

The Auxiliary Sensors tab is where you specify the number of EdgeVac sensors and calibrate these sensors.



Planter Configuration - Auxiliary Sensors tab

- EdgeVac sensors - Use the arrows to enter the number of EdgeVac sensors on your planter.
- Press the check mark button to save information and return to the Kinze Planter Monitor Setup screen. Press the Close (red X) button to exit and cancel.

NOTE: You will also need to calibrate the EdgeVac sensors once per year. This process is described later in this chapter.

Other check boxes on the Auxiliary Sensors tab include:

- **Tank Weight** - For ASD Scales if equipped.
- **Tank Pressure** - ASD tank operation pressure.
- **Down Pressure** - Check this box if the planter has pneumatic down pressure.
- **Air Compressor** - Selected if you have an air compressor. Indicates when air compressor is low.
- **Sensor Detection** - press the green check mark on the Kinze Planter Monitor Setup screen. "This will require a muxbus detection Continue?" screen will appear. Press the green check mark.
- **Oil Sensor** - Not used.
- **SDS** - Not used.

NOTE: Be sure PMM module cable is plugged into main muxbux harness.

Plug in rear rows L to R and front rows L to R, auxiliary sensors, EdgeVac sensors, and Pneumatic sensors.

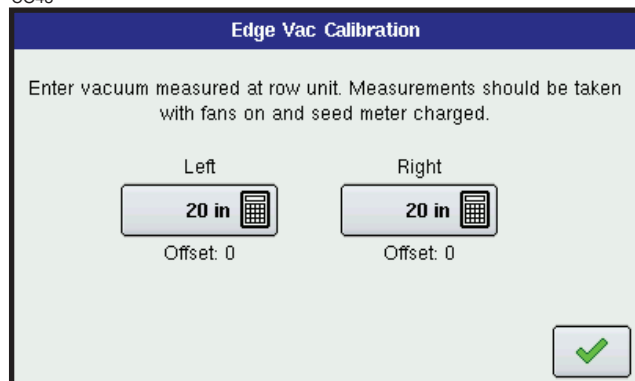
When all sensors have been found a box will appear to confirm. Press the check mark to continue.

EDGEVAC CALIBRATION

Customers who have purchased the EdgeVac seed meters should perform an EdgeVac Calibration once a year to make sure that it is correct. Use the numeric keypad to enter the actual value taken from the hand-held analog gauge taken at the seed meter.

NOTE: Enter the level of vacuum measured at the row unit. Measurements should be taken with fans on and seed meter charged.

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EdgeVac Calibration window

SENSOR CONFIGURATION

The Sensor Configuration window, shown below, is for system maintenance of the Population Monitor.

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Item	Status
Rear Section	
Row 1	OK
Row 2	OK
Row 3	OK
Row 4	OK

Sensor Configuration window

- The **Install** button installs a row sensor.
- The **Remove** button removes the highlighted sensor of any type.
- The **Revive** button allows the display to reattempt communication with the highlighted sensor of any type.
- The **Ignore** button tells the monitor to cease communications with a row sensor.
- The **View** button shows the Sensor Information window. For more information, see the Sensor Information section below.

SENSOR INFORMATION

The Sensor Information window displays hardware information for each seed tube sensor and also each seed sensor. Technical support may request that you look at this window to help in diagnosing a problem.

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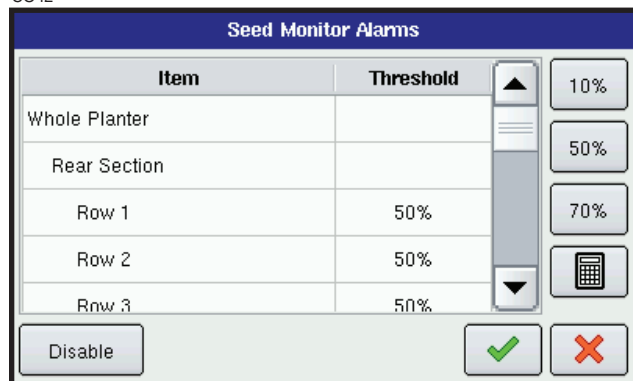
Sensor Information window

- **ID** - The hardware **ID** number is a unique number for each sensor on the muxbus.
- **Serial Number** - The **Serial Number** varies for each individual unit of seed sensor and seed tube sensor.
- **Model Number** - The **Model Number** is shared by each unit of the same model of seed tube sensor.
- **Baud Rate** - The **Baud Rate** number is the speed of transmission between the muxbus sensor and the PMM module.

ALARMS

To view the Seed Monitor Alarms window, go to Setup and press the Monitor button. At the Kinze Planter Monitor Setup window, press the **Alarms** button. The Seed Monitor Alarms window appears, as shown below.

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The screenshot shows the 'Seed Monitor Alarms' window. It features a table with two columns: 'Item' and 'Threshold'. The 'Item' column lists 'Whole Planter', 'Rear Section', 'Row 1', 'Row 2', and 'Row 3'. The 'Threshold' column shows '50%' for 'Row 1', 'Row 2', and 'Row 3', while 'Whole Planter' and 'Rear Section' are blank. To the right of the table is a vertical scrollbar and a set of buttons: '10%', '50%', '70%', and a numeric keypad icon. At the bottom left is a 'Disable' button, and at the bottom right are a green checkmark button and a red 'X' button.

Item	Threshold
Whole Planter	
Rear Section	
Row 1	50%
Row 2	50%
Row 3	50%

Buttons: 10%, 50%, 70%, Numeric keypad, Disable, Green checkmark, Red X


Seed Monitor Alarms window

You can change the alarm threshold for each individual row unit, or for an individual section, or the whole planter. To change the threshold of an alarm, highlight the row unit, then press either a given percentage number (10%, 50%, 70%, or use the numeric keypad to create your own value). The alarm will then sound only when the population drops below that numeric threshold value.

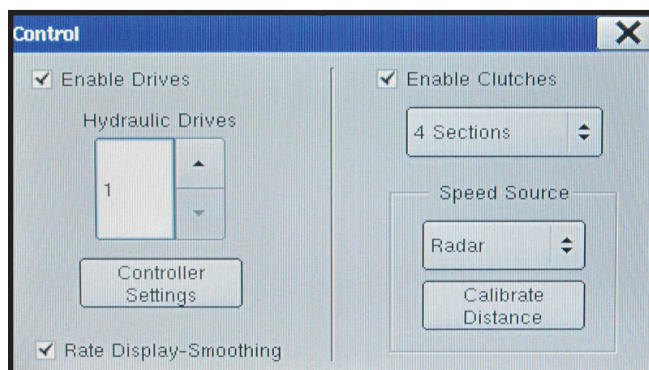
NOTES:

- The default alarm setting is at 50%.
- If you wish to turn the threshold of the alarm to zero, press the **Disable** button.

You can begin planting with the Kinze Cobalt monitor by entering Rate Control information in six steps.

1. Press the Setup (wrench) tool , and the Setup screen opens.

From there, press the **Control** button  and go to the Rate Control screen, as shown below.



Rate Control Screen

2. At the Rate Control screen, check the **Enable Drives** check box to make the Kinze Hydraulic Drive available.
 - Model 3600 or Model 3660 - 1 drive.
 - Model 3800 - 2 drives.
3. If you are using Clutch Control, check the **Enable Clutches** checkbox.
 - Model 3600 or Model 3660 select **4 Sections**.
 - Model 3800 - Select **4 or 8 Sections** depending of operator preference.
4. Select a Speed Source to be used for the Cobalt monitor. Choices include **Radar** or **Manual**.
 - If you are using **Radar** as the Speed Source, calibrate the distance by using the Speed Sensor Calibration procedure described later in this chapter.
 - If you are using **Manual** as the Speed Source, enter in the appropriate average speed used when planting.
5. If you are using hydraulic drives, use the up and down arrows to enter in the number of hydraulic drives.
6. To show more consistent Rate Applied data, check the **Display Rate Smoothing** check box.
 - For information on Controller Settings, see the Controller Settings chapter of this User Manual.

SPEED SENSOR CALIBRATION

Press the **Calibrate Distance** button to begin a Speed Sensor calibration. The Speed Sensor Calibration wizard appears. Follow the instructions detailed in the wizard. These are explained in further detail below.

1. Select Ground Speed Sensor Type

The sensor type of Radar is preselected. Press the arrow button to continue.

2. Mark the Start and End Points of the Following Known Distance

The system defaults to 100 feet (50 meters) distance for calibration. Enter in a different number, if desired.

3. Start Driving Course

Follow the on-screen directions and press the green **Start** button to begin the calibration process.

4. Calibration Complete

Press the checkmark box to complete calibration and store the calculated value.

NOTE: Calibration settings can be manually adjusted if desired by pressing Enter CAL Number and making small changes to the setting.

NOTE: The switch box under the Cobalt display needs a minimum of the master switch, switches 1-4, and switch 10 on in order for the hydraulic drive system to operate.

CONTROLLER SETTINGS

You can view Control Valve settings, Max Meter Speed, enter a Shaft Speed Calibration and other information by opening the Controller Settings window.

First, press the Control button on the Setup tab. This opens the Rate Control window. Press the **Controller Settings** button, and the Controller Settings window appears. This window displays two types of tabs: **Channel** tabs, and an **Auxiliary** Tab. The window below is shown for a single-channel configuration.

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Controller Settings - Channel 1 tab

CHANNEL TABS

The Channel tabs include the following settings:

- **Shaft Speed Cal** - Calibration number representing the pulses that equal one revolution of the hydraulic motor.
- **Max Meter Speed** - Setting determines the maximum RPM of the seed meter.
- **Gear Ratio** - The ratio of the revolutions of the hydraulic drive to turn the seed meter one revolution.
- **Control Valve Settings** - Pressing the **Control Valve Settings** button opens the Control Valve Settings window, which allows you to control PWM (Pulse Width Modulation) valve settings.
- **Allowable Error** - Determines the percent of error that is allowed prior to the product control system making any flow rate changes.

CONTROL VALVE SETTINGS

The Control Valve Settings window includes settings for **PWM Frequency**, **PWM Gain** and **Zero Flow Offset**.

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Control Valve Settings window

- **Control Valve** - The Control Valve drop down menu should be set to **PWM** (Pulse Width Modulation).

NOTE: The Servo Valve Settings option is not used.

- **PWM (Pulse Width Modulation) Frequency** - The frequency that the PWM control valve is pulsed at. Set this frequency number at **200**.
- **PWM (Pulse Width Modulation) Gain** - Determines how aggressively the control valve responds when making rate change adjustments. The higher the value the more aggressive the system response is. Set this number at **130**.
- **Zero Flow Offset** - Represents the maximum duty cycle that is sent to the control valve without producing any hydraulic flow from the PWM (Pulse Width Modulation) valve. Set this number at **33.0**.

NOTE: Using too high of a Zero Flow Offset value can cause the product control system to not properly control low rates.

CONTROLLER SETTINGS FOR KINZE HYDRAULIC DRIVE

Setting	Description	3600 / 3660 EdgeVac Value	3600 / 3660 Mechanical Value	3800 EdgeVac Value	3800 Mechanical Value
Shaft Speed Cal	Calibration number representing the pulses that equal one revolution of the hydraulic motor (pls/rev).	360	360	360	360
Control Valve Configuration	Setting determines the type of control valve being used for the hydraulic motor. Choices include Servo or RPM.	PWM	PWM	PWM	PWM
Max. Meter Speed	Setting determines the maximum RPM of the seed meter.	150	150	150	150
Gear Ratio	Ratio of the revolutions of the hydraulic drive as compared to the revolutions of the seed meter.	2.947	1.533	2.27	1.533
PWM Frequency	The frequency that the PWM control valve is pulsed at. Settings can be found from the manufacturer of the valve. Typical settings range from 180–220 Hz.	200	200	200	200
PWM Gain	Determines how aggressively the control valve responds when making rate change adjustments. The higher the value the more aggressive the system response is.	60	130	130	130
Zero Flow Offset	Represents the maximum duty cycle that is sent to the control valve without producing any hydraulic flow from the PWM valve. Using too high of a Zero Flow Offset value can cause the product control system to not properly control low rates. See the PWM valve manufacturer's information for recommended settings.	45	33	33	33
Allowable Error	Determines the percent of error that is allowed prior to the product control system making any flow rate changes.	2%	2%	2%	2%
Response Threshold	Determines the system responsiveness to rate change.	-----	-----	-----	-----
Valve Response 1	Determines the speed of the servo valve when product control error exceeds the Response Threshold setting.	-----	-----	-----	-----
Valve Response 2	Determines the speed of the servo valve when product control error is less than the Response Threshold setting.	-----	-----	-----	-----

AUXILIARY TAB

The **Auxiliary** tab of the Controller Settings window adjusts the responsivity of the motion detection sensor that turns the Kinze Hydraulic Drive on and minimizes skips.

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Controller Settings

Channel 1 Auxiliary

Minimum Ground Speed

2.0 mph

Rate Not Responding Threshold

30 %

Rate Not Responding Time

4 s

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Controller Settings - Auxiliary tab

- **Min Ground Speed** - The Minimum Ground Speed performs two functions: It determines the speed at which the motion detection sensor disengages; and also determines the speed at which the seed meter will turn when the motion detection sensor is active. Set this to **2.0 mph**.
- **Rate Threshold** - The percentage of seed rate error that triggers the hydraulic drive alarms.
- **Rate Not Responding Time** - The amount of time that the error occurs before the alarm sounds.

DEVICE INFORMATION

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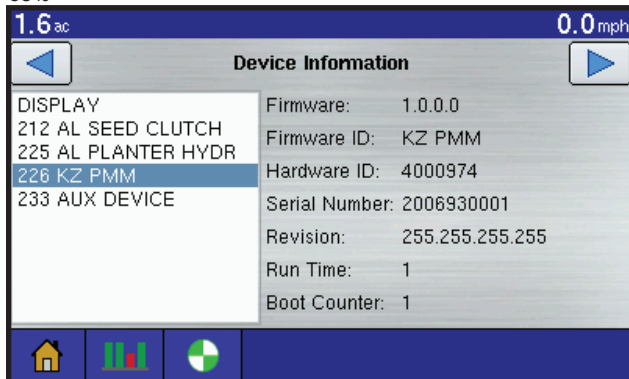


You can review Diagnostic information about the Kinze Cobalt monitor by pressing the Diagnostics button on the Home Screen. The Diagnostics button shows an icon of a monitor with a question mark on top of it. Available diagnostic information includes **Device Information**, **Memory**, **Display**, **Clutch Diagnostics** and **Auxiliary Input Diagnostic**. To view the different windows, press the left or right arrow buttons on the top of the screen.

NOTE: Technical support may request that you look at diagnostic settings for help in diagnosing a problem.

The Device Information window, as shown below, displays general diagnostic information.

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Device Information window

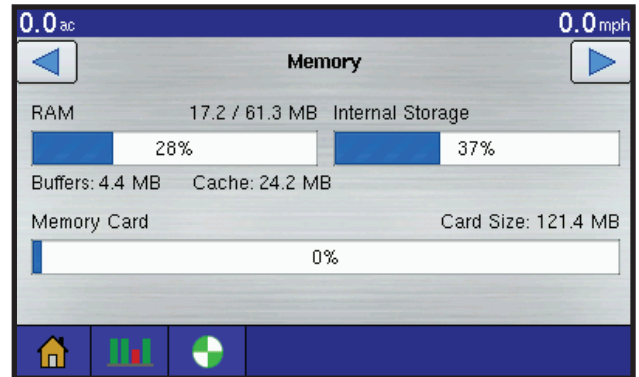
This window consists of two sections. On the left-hand side, the white portion displays all of the modules that are connected to the CANBus. To view information for each individual module, highlight the module by touching it on the touch screen. Information shown includes:

- **Firmware**
- **Firmware ID**
- **Hardware ID**
- **Serial Number**
- **Revision**
- **Run Time**
- **Boot Counter**

MEMORY

The Memory window contains information about the external storage card and display memory usage.

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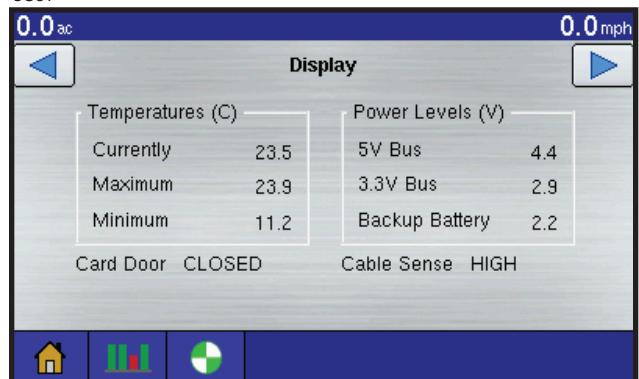


Memory window

DISPLAY

The Display window includes information regarding the monitor's temperature. Voltage information is shown for the monitor and CAN Bus.

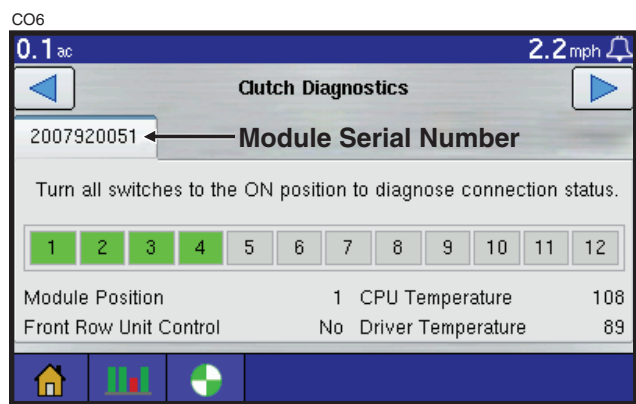
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Display window

CLUTCH DIAGNOSTICS

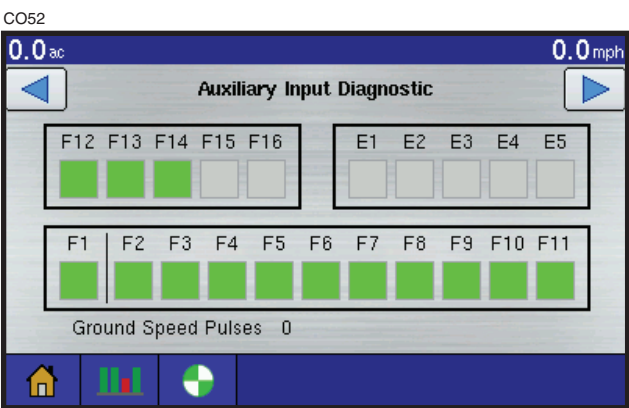
The Clutch Diagnostics Tab shows the voltage flowing from each of the 12 pins in the clutch control module. The tab at top left shows the serial number of the Clutch module.



Clutch Diagnostics window

AUXILIARY INPUT DIAGNOSTIC

The Input Diagnostic Tab lists the number of Ground Speed Pulses coming in from the radar to the Auxiliary Module.



Auxiliary Input Diagnostic window

Additionally, the bottom row of boxes lists the active switches on the switch box. These color-coded boxes display the following diagnostics:

- **Green:** The switch is connected to the On position.
- **Black:** The switch is connected to the Off position.
- **Grey:** The switch is not connected.